



RUPERT JULIUS GEISLER

Thesis: *An Investigation of the Comparative Stability of Vertical Back and Battered Back Dam Sections.*

Phi Kappa Sigma
Radical X

Sophomore President, Class 1911
Integral Representative, Class 1911. (2)
Chairman, Pin Committee (4)

The charms with which a little shaver greeted the world one September morning, the eleventh we believe, of the year 1886, have apparently stood the test of years for the fair sex still maintain that "He's a darling." "Geise" has further reinforced that view by the addition of that irresistible allurements brass buttons, being a member of Company A, First Battalion of Engineers, I. N. G.

Though we know only that he was reared in Englewood, we suspect that, from the initiative that he now displays, he was not a model child. He graduated from the Kershaw School in 1901 and again in 1902 from the Metropolitan Business College. He then gave the business world fits for a few years, meanwhile attending an evening high school. Geisler entered the Armour Academy in 1905, and the Tech in 1907.

His popularity and good fellowship even when he entered school is evidenced by the fact that he was elected to the Radical X society and also made President of the Sophomore class. "Geise" was the wonderful artist who decorated the sidewalks adjacent to the school with huge "11's" and an artistic skull and cross bones, and then hobnobbed with the local constabulary (carefully keeping his paint stained hands in his jeans, the while) as they endeavored to locate the perpetrator of the aforesaid bit of art. This year he managed, as chairman of the committee, the securing of the alumni pins for the class, being ably assisted in this by his friend Rufe Claar. Not only did the pins cost a surprisingly small amount but the committee did *not* subsequently blossom forth in a new array of stick pins and rings.

Geisler has had lots of outside experience, and is applying some of it to his thesis work, the "Investigation of the Comparative Stability of Vertical Back and Battered Dam Sections," and, with the assistance of Clark, the problem has been well handled. Geisler is one of those clean cut fellows whom you instinctively know to be a man worth while, and whose friendship is a thing to be counted on.